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- See our new line of opal ware we are selling at, each, 15c, 17c and..... 19c
- Our 75c and \$1.00 straight front corsets, special for the week 50c and..... 75c
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- We have one lot of wool flannel shirt waists, colors dark blue and dark red, special for the week..... 89c
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The number of new business corporations organizing in Texas indicates that the present year will beat all previous records for prosperity in grand old Texas.

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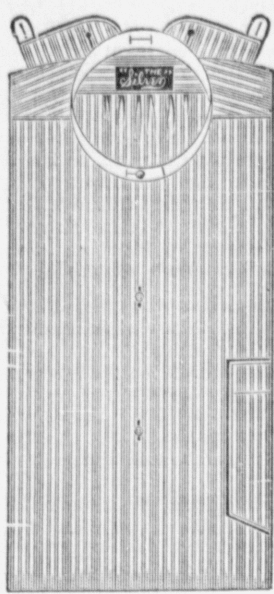
For the Morning Eagle.]

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Men's Furnishings.

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COTTONWOOD.

Cottonwood, Jan. 20.—Health in this community is very good at present.

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Jim Nash and Goner Parker passed through this place Sunday, enroute to Macy.

Rhea Cotton visited near Edge Sunday.

Prof. S. W. Edge and wife visited relatives at Bryan Sunday.

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Miss Minnie Bullock spent Sunday at home.

Miss Maggie White was in this vicinity Friday.

Bob Drear and family, of Tabor, visited here Saturday.

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Periwinkle.

BENCHLEY.

The weather still continues dry. Farmers are very much discouraged at the gloomy prospects.

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Miss Mary Peyton, who has been very sick is some better.

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Mrs. N. N. Glaze, of this place,

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- See our new line of opal ware we are selling at, each, 15c, 17c and..... 19c
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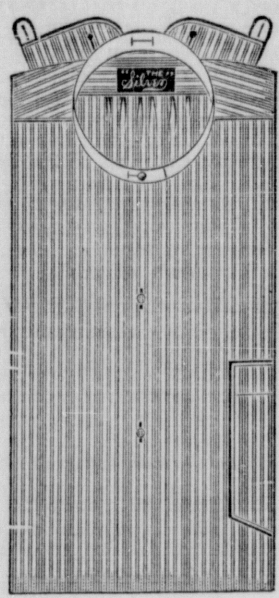
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The I. & G. N. has purchased additional land from Capt. Polk south of town and adjoining the fair grounds for making a big tank for water supply. The land is favorably situated for the purpose in a ravine and has a large natural drainage. Engineers F. Z. Lee and W. P. McCutcheon began work yesterday morning establishing grade lines for the excavation and dam, and a grading outfit was on the ground to begin work immediately. The tank will cover 21 acres and hold approximately 50,000,000 gallons of water.

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Knights of Pythias.

Deputy Grand Chancellor A. M. Waldrop installed the new officers of Bryans Lodge, No. 64, Knights of Pythias, according to the beautiful Pythian ritual on last Tuesday night. The ceremony was beautiful and impressive, and was followed by an experience meeting. Reminiscences and remarks for the good of the order were interesting features of the meeting.

Four of the past-chancellors of this lodge were present, some of them having been charter members of the lodge when it was organized in 1886. The present membership of the lodge is 111 and is composed of representative citizens of Bryan taken from every calling and profession in life.

The lodge has an elegant suite of rooms on the third floor in the Astin building and these are handsomely furnished with modern lodge furniture. Electric fans have lately been put in, adding much to the comfort of members in summer.

It will be remembered that the lodge tendered the use of their rooms, with all conveniences included, to the Business League and the invitation was accepted. No rent is charged and the lodge thereby shows its public spirit and patriotism. Indeed the true Pythian sentiment is helpfulness.

The most expensive paraphernalia is used in the degree work, including elegant costumes, electric lantern, etc.

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H. & T. C. SCHEDULE.
Northbound No. 1.....10:18 a. m.
Northbound No. 3.....1:17 p. m.
Northbound No. 5.....2:17 p. m.
Southbound No. 2.....1:51 p. m.
Southbound No. 4.....4:22 p. m.
Southbound No. 6.....2:50 a. m.
Nos. 3 and 4 are fast trains, stopping only at principal stations.

I. & G. N. SCHEDULE.
No. 122—Northbound—Passenger—Leaves.....7:00 a. m.
No. 104—Northbound—Passenger—Leaves.....4:30 p. m.
(Makes close connection with main line I. & G. N. going east and west.)
No. 103—Southbound—Passenger—Arrives.....7:00 p. m.
No. 121—Southbound—Mixed—Arrives.....4:50 p. m.

LOCAL NEWS.

A. E. Worley went to Franklin yesterday.

B. F. Love was here from Franklin yesterday.

You always get good tender calf meat at Jno. W. Hicks'. 47

Glenn McCorquodale has gone to Louisiana.

Mrs. J. H. Heron returned to Marlin yesterday.

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Alex McLeod was here from Milligan yesterday.

Miss Hunter of Cuero is the guest of Misses Parks.

For Sale—Good horse and runabout; good as new. Apply at this office. 47

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allphin were here from Madisonville yesterday.

T. H. Parker of Hill county is visiting the family of Dr. John W. Johnson.

For Sale—A young cow and calf—fresh in milk—only \$22.50. 46

T. S. Minter.

Mr. C. Duckworth, who has been ill for some time, is much improved.

Dr. F. R. Collard was here from Wheelock yesterday and went to Houston.

Lost—A small gold locket with initials "F. A. M." on it. Reward for return to Frank Myers. 1t

Hon. Chas. Davis arrived from El Paso yesterday.

G. M. Robinson of Mangum, Texas, passed through Bryan yesterday, after visiting in Madisonville.

For Rent—Good new 4-room house with good water and outhouses. Apply to Jno. B. Mike. 49

Miss Daisy Brick of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Nagle.

Mr. W. C. Dodson arrived from Waco yesterday and is the guest of Judge Board and family.

Miss Nelly Hawes wishes to announce to the public that she will take in dressmaking at home and would appreciate the patronage of the ladies of Bryan. 49

Miss Maud Nicol returned from Calvert yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. J. L. Reed and daughter, Miss Verna Reed.

T. P. Boyett, W. R. Johnston and S. M. Denden, appointed a committee by the fair directors to ascertain the sentiment of the people regarding the best time for holding the fair, are interviewing the stockholders with the purpose of making a report at the next meeting.

To Cure Dyspepsia and Indigestion.
Sour Stomach or Heartburn, take Rex Dyspepsia Tablets. All druggists are authorized to refund money if they fail to cure. Price 50 cents. M. H. James, the leading druggist, Bryan, Texas.

Mr. C. Touhill, an old citizen of the county died at his home in the Brazos bottom last Thursday and was buried here on Friday. He was sick only a few hours. He has been a resident of the county for many years and so far as the Pilot knows, had no relatives in this part of the country. He owned a little farm near Smetana, five miles west of town, but at the time of his death was making his home with Capt. Tom Saunders in the bottom.—Brazos Pilot.

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MEN'S OUTFITTERS

I. & G. N. Excursion Rates.

Dates shown are those on which tickets are for sale:

Laredo, February 21, Washington's birthday celebration.

San Antonio, Jan. 31 and Feb. 2 and 3, I. O. O. F. state meeting.

Waco, Feb. 20 and 21, Green's brigade reunion.

Dallas, Feb. 11 and 12, People's party convention.

New Orleans, Feb. 5 to 10, Mardi Gras festivities.

Low excursion rates will be made for the above occasions, full particulars of which may be obtained from nearest ticket agent or by addressing D. J. Price, G. P. & T. A., Palestine, Texas.

The I. & G. N. has purchased additional land from Capt. Polk south of town and adjoining the fair grounds for making a big tank for water supply. The land is favorably situated for the purpose in a ravine and has a large natural drainage. Engineers F. Z. Lee and W. P. McCutcheon began work yesterday morning establishing grade lines for the excavation and dam, and a grading outfit was on the ground to begin work immediately. The tank will cover 21 acres and hold approximately 50,000,000 gallons of water.

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OLYMPIA OPERA COMPANY

Coming to Bryan for a Week's Engagement—Forty People.

Manager John B. Mike, of the grand opera house, has secured the Olympia Opera Company for a week's engagement during February. This company was here early this season and gave two splendid performances, "Said Pasha" being given at night and received with unqualified approval. There are forty people in the company, a number of fine voices and a strong chorus. They have handsome costumes and a fine repertoire. It is needless to say amusement lovers will be delighted at their return for a whole week, especially as the price of admission will be reduced to 50 cents, giving everybody an opportunity to attend.

Knights of Pythias.

Deputy Grand Chancellor A. M. Waldrop installed the new officers of Brazos Lodge, No. 64, Knights of Pythias, according to the beautiful Pythian ritual on last Tuesday night. The ceremony was beautiful and impressive, and was followed by an experience meeting. Reminiscences and remarks for the good of the order were interesting features of the meeting.

Four of the past-chancellors of this lodge were present, some of them having been charter members of the lodge when it was organized in 1886. The present membership of the lodge is 111 and is composed of representative citizens of Bryan taken from every calling and profession in life.

The lodge has an elegant suite of rooms on the third floor in the Astin building and these are handsomely furnished with modern lodge furniture. Electric fans have lately been put in, adding much to the comfort of members in summer.

It will be remembered that the lodge tendered the use of their rooms, with all conveniences included, to the Business League and the invitation was accepted. No rent is charged and the lodge thereby shows its public spirit and patriotism. Indeed the true Pythian sentiment is helpfulness.

The most expensive paraphernalia is used in the degree work, including elegant costumes, electric lantern, etc.

The officers installed Tuesday night were: F. M. Law, Jr., chancellor commander; R. W. Howell, vice-chancellor; W. H. Lawrence, prelate; O. E. Saunders, master of work; J. M. Hare, master of exchange; J. B. Reed, master of finance; W. R. Johnston, keeper of records and seal; John A. Moore, master at arms; G. W. Smith, Jr., inner guard; A. A. Woodson, outer guard. A. M. Waldrop is supreme representative.

Texas Bakery Open.

The Texas Bakery is now open and doing business at the old stand. Everything is first class. Come and see for yourself. The finest bread, cakes, etc., baked in your own town. Salesroom is back in the shop until main store is finished.

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Hotel Arrivals.

EXCHANGE.

W P M Cutcheon, F Z Lee, Marlin; Wm Crotty, Galveston; Geo R Murdoch, Calvert; Chas D Fine, Dallas; C E Booth, Austin; C H Dessaur, Chicago; J C deLam, Texas; W J Hammond, Dallas; Sol Bellitz, St Louis; A O Watson, Austin; D T Boyles, Calvert; E H Astin, Mumford; C L Hull, Ft Worth; Bertha Kunz Baker, New York; W A Wilson, Nacogdoches; H W Peak, Ft Worth; Llewellyn Hudson, Cincinnati; C Orear, St Louis; W E Impey, Denver; A L Shaw, St Louis; E M Wells, Dallas; T W Johnson, Kansas City; E C Bright, L C Packard, St Louis.

TUCKER HOUSE.

G F Little, S W Tel Co; J E Carter, Galesburg; J W Abbott, Waco; W R Christian, W A Humphery.

Pay Your City Taxes.

Friday, January 31, is positively the last day on which you can pay your city taxes and escape the 10 per cent delinquent penalty. After that date a list of delinquents will be prepared for publication. Remember all receipts cannot be written on the last day, and please call at once. C. M. Spell, City Sec. 47

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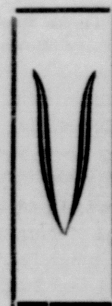


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MYSTERIOUS MURDER. FEUDISTS IN BATTLE.

A Prominent Citizen of St. Louis
Killed in a Bath House.

NEGRO IS ARRESTED

Mr. Cooper Was Found Unconscious
With His Skull Crushed and from
Which He Died—The Negro
Tells Conflicting Tales.

St. Louis, Jan. 23.—A Dean Cooper, treasurer of the Graham Paper company, is dead as the result of injuries sustained in a mysterious manner while in the Vista Turkish bath establishment at 3518 Franklin Avenue, Wednesday night.

Wm. A. Strother, the negro man in charge of the bath house, who tells conflicting stories about the affair, is under arrest, and a diamond ring worth \$1500 and a valuable pin belonging to Cooper have been recovered from their hiding place in the cellar of the bath house.

Cooper's injury consisted of a fractured skull. A sledge hammer, covered with blood, was found in the cellar and taken possession of by the police. Strother made a statement to the police that about midnight a boy brought Cooper a note which he refused to answer. The boy went away and soon after a man and two women entered. When he returned from the cellar where he had gone to fix the fires, Strother says he found Cooper on the couch unconscious.

Doctors operated on Cooper and removed pieces of bone that were pressing on the brain. The injured man did not regain consciousness and finally died.

Cooper was owner of the bath house where the assault was committed, but it was not managed in his name. It is located right in the fashionable section of the city.

Cooper, who was interested in various lines of business, was considered one of the wealthiest men in St. Louis. A few minutes after midnight Theodore Cooper, a son of A. Dean Cooper, answered the door bell at the family residence, 3713 Washington boulevard. Strother was at the door.

"Your father has been hurt," said the negro, to young Cooper. "He's over in the bath house now."

Without stopping to question the man closely, Cooper hurried to the Vista block. In the cooling room of the bath house on a cot in the middle of the long compartment, he found his father covered with a sheet. Doctors were immediately called and the police notified.

ADVOCATES FREE TRADE.

Taft Says He Would Like to See Tariff Taken Off Philippine Goods.

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—Referring to Philippine tariff in a speech at the Union League club prior to his departure for the east Governor Taft is reported to have said:

"I know from reading your papers and talking with some of your merchants that you are anxious to have free trade between the Philippines and America. In many respects that would be an admirable arrangement if it were possible to run the government of the Philippines without indirect taxation involved in levying customs duties. It would gratify the commission very much if congress would take off altogether the tariff imposed by the Dingley bill. All we desire is to have money enough to run a good government. My view is that as soon as trade is established and the avenues opened small tariff will form a very slight obstacle to the course of business between the Philippines and California.

Rev. Dolliver Opens Senate.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Rev. J. J. Dolliver of Fort Dodge, Ia., father of Senator Dolliver, pronounced the invocation at the opening of today's session of the senate.

Mr. Lodge gave notice that on and after Monday he would press the Philippine tariff bill.

The senate adjourned to Monday. The house resumed consideration of the urgent deficiency bill.

Bank Robbers Captured.

Hartford, Ky., Jan. 23.—The four burglars who robbed the bank here Wednesday night were captured by Deputy Sheriff Keown and a posse with bloodhounds. All of the stolen money was recovered. The robbers gave the following names, but refused to talk further: H. L. Marshall, Estill county, Kentucky; James Kelly, Nevada; James Mills, Georgia and C. C. Gray of Green County, Kentucky.

Will Not Make It Public.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Admiral Schley refuses to make public his appeal filed with the president. This is in accordance with the desire expressed by the president at the time of Admiral Schley's visit to the white house. The president will turn the whole matter over to Attorney General Knox for his report and recommendations, these to be made as soon as possible.

Protest from Red Cross.

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—The Red Cross society of California has sent a telegram to President Roosevelt stating that "in the opinion of this society the present method of government transportation from this port to Philippines cannot be changed without grave injury to health and comforts of officers and enlisted men of the army.

Mortal Combat on Old Scores at the Court Trial.

THREE MEN KILLED.

Another Is Fatally Wounded and Three Others Receive Slight Wounds.
Fight Brought Factions Together at Murder Trial.

Bellville, Tex., Jan. 23.—Three men dead, one fatally shot and three slightly wounded, is the result of a battle that occurred at the Santa Fe depot here at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening:

The dead are:
Raymond G. White.

Milam Odom of Wallis.
Henry Dittert of San Felipe.

Walter Pennington of Wallis is shot through the bowels and will die.

His father, Elihu Pennington, is slightly wounded about the head.

Antone Dittert, a liveryman of Bellville, has a flesh wound through his thigh.

John Hackbarth, prominent merchant of Sealy, had the instep of his foot crushed by a shot.

It was a battle with six-shooters between Elihu Pennington and his son, Walter Pennington, on one side and Odom and his half brother, Raymond White, on the other.

A large crowd was at the depot awaiting the arrival of the southbound passenger train. The fight began in the midst of them without warning, and before the people could escape to places of safety one of their number was shot dead in his tracks and two others wounded by stray bullets.

The tragedy is the outgrowth of a killing which occurred at Wallis two years ago, when Walter Pennington killed James C. Odom. Walter Pennington was to have been tried in the district court here Wednesday for the killing of J. C. Odom, but his case was continued. A large crowd of citizens from Wallis and vicinity were here to attend the trial and the parties to the existing feud were brought together at the depot while waiting for the train.

NEW MEXICO FEUD.

Eight Men Attack Three Brothers and Two Are Mortally Wounded.

Hereford, Tex., Jan. 23.—For several days rumors of trouble in the vicinity of Liberty and Endee, N. M., have been brought in by men passing that way, and Wednesday the rumors were confirmed when a wagon came in from that neighborhood bringing Fred Spikes very badly wounded.

John, Fred and Dick Spikes, brothers, were at work taking down some fencing near the Spikes home. About 2 o'clock they mounted their horses and started home to dinner, and when within a quarter of a mile of home a party of eight or ten men stepped out of hiding and opened fire on them with winchesters at short range. Dan Spikes and his horse fell at the first fire and he was supposed to have been killed outright. Fred and John wheeled and started to retreat, with the firing party following and keeping up a constant fire. After they had gone about 200 yards John fell behind and his fate is unknown. He is supposed to be dead.

Fred Spikes has a slight wound in his left side and a very dangerous one in the lower part of the body. The doctors say that the ball which passed through the lower part of the body severed the connection between the kidneys and bladder. They pronounce the case as almost hopeless.

A man from the scene of the disturbance was in after guns and ammunition, and more trouble is expected in the near future. Spikes says he knows the attacking party, but he gave no names.

Smallpox in Texas.

Temple, Tex., Jan. 23.—John Terry, Mrs. Terry and two children are all down with smallpox at their home about two miles south of town.

Marshall, Tex., Jan. 23.—J. Hudson, a visitor to the city, has a case of smallpox.

Ennis, Tex., Jan. 23.—Another case of smallpox has been discovered at Telico, seven miles east of Ennis. The citizens put the patient in quarantine and sent for the health officer.

Choctaws May Emigrate.

Paris, Tex., Jan. 23.—Jacob Jackson, the leader of the fullblood Choctaws, spent a few hours in Paris Wednesday. He stated that whenever the allotment is completed so that the Indians can make title a majority of the fullbloods will dispose of their lands and migrate to Mexico. He thinks it will be several years, however, before final allotment takes place. He doesn't believe that the Indian Territory will be created a state.

Accidentally Killed Himself.

Paris, Tex., Jan. 23.—A telegram received in Paris from Plainview stated that M. V. Wings accidentally killed himself with a pistol. The deceased until recently lived at Wolfe City. He had just bought a ranch in Hale county, which he was improving, and his wife was visiting her parents here while he was having a house built.

Land Office Abolished.

Washington, Jan. 23.—The president has issued an order abolishing the land offices at Enid and Perry, Ok., and consolidating the former district with the Guthrie district and latter with the Kingfisher district. Parts of the Oklahoma land office district are consolidated with the El Reno and Mangum land offices districts.

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Annual Premium \$10 Proportionately smaller premiums for smaller benefits.

or If permanently blind or paralyzed \$2,500

PRINCE HENRY'S GIFTS.

He Has Fifty Presents to Present Americans, Some Very Valuable.

Berlin, Jan. 23.—Admiral Prince Henry of Prussia has selected about 50 presents for Americans with whom he will come especially in contact during his visit to the United States. The presents included several gold and silver boxes set with diamonds, they have the emperor's monogram encircled with diamonds, beautiful silver cups with "Hohenzollern" enameled on them, gold and silver cigarette cases on which his majesty's autograph is traced in diamonds, small compasses encased in gold and silver boxes with "Hohenzollern" enameled on them, besides larger and more valuable gifts. He has a number of cuff links, brooches and scarf pins, with initial "H" in diamonds. The are intended for less important persons.

Official secrecy is maintained as to what the emperor and Prince Henry will present to the president, Rear Admiral Evans and Miss Alice Roosevelt, thought it is well known his majesty will send Miss Roosevelt a jeweled bracelet and Prince Henry will probably offer the president a fine hunting gun with interchangeable shot and rifle barrels and its accompanying equipment.

SWORD FOR SCHLEY.

Mason of Illinois Offers a Resolution for Medals for Officers and Men.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Mr. Mason of Illinois, in the senate offered the following joint resolution:

"That the thanks of congress hereby be tendered to Admiral Winfield Scott Schley for brave and able conduct while in command of the American fleet at the victorious battle of Santiago.

"That a sword be presented him by the secretary of the navy of the United States, and the sum of \$10,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated for the purpose of this resolution, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

"That the secretary of the navy shall cause to be struck bronze medals commemorating the battle of Santiago and distribute the same to officers and men under the command of Schley during said battle of Santiago."

Relief for Earthquake Sufferers.

City of Mexico, Jan. 23.—Subscriptions are being taken up here among the American and British residents for the victims of the earthquake at Chilpancingo.

Three women were crushed to death in the Church at San Jose at Chilapa while they were engaged in their devotions. Fortunately a large portion of the population were in the main plaza at the time of the shock watching a tight rope performance.

Advices from Chilpancingo represent that Governor Mora and family are living in a stable where a temporary dwelling has been erected. He offers \$30,000 as a personal contribution for rebuilding the city. Many people have gone insane as a result of the horrors of the catastrophe and from loss of relatives and friends. It is now proposed to build the city on another site.

Corn Blockade at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Jan. 23.—A corn blockade, with grain commanding high prices and the great southwestern country buying from the north and east instead of having corn for sale, is the anomalous condition that exists in Kansas City. Grain men say there are 1000 cars of corn on the track here, and railroad yards so full it will take many days to get corn started out of the city after it has been ordered shipped.

World's Fair Commission Adjourns.

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A Prominent Citizen of St. Louis Killed in a Bath House.

NEGRO IS ARRESTED

Mr. Cooper Was Found Unconscious With His Skull Crushed and from Which He Died—The Negro Tells Conflicting Tales.

St. Louis, Jan. 23.—A Dean Cooper, treasurer of the Graham Paper company, is dead as the result of injuries sustained in a mysterious manner while in the Vista Turkish bath establishment at 3518 Franklin Avenue, Wednesday night.

Wm. A. Strother, the negro man in charge of the bath house, who tells conflicting stories about the affair, is under arrest, and a diamond ring worth \$1500 and a valuable pin belonging to Cooper have been recovered from their hiding place in the cellar of the bath house.

Cooper's injury consisted of a fractured skull. A sledge hammer, covered with blood, was found in the cellar and taken possession of by the police. Strother made a statement to the police that about midnight a boy brought Cooper a note which he refused to answer. The boy went away and soon after a man and two women entered. When he returned from the cellar where he had gone to fix the fires, Strother says he found Cooper on the couch unconscious.

Doctors operated on Cooper and removed pieces of bone that were pressing on the brain. The injured man did not regain consciousness and finally died.

Cooper was owner of the bath house where the assault was committed, but it was not managed in his name. It is located right in the fashionable section of the city.

Cooper, who was interested in various lines of business, was considered one of the wealthiest men in St. Louis. A few minutes after midnight Theodore Cooper, a son of A. Dean Cooper, answered the door bell at the family residence, 3713 Washington boulevard. Strother was at the door.

"Your father has been hurt," said the negro, to young Cooper. "He's over in the bath house now."

Without stopping to question the man closely, Cooper hurried to the Vista block. In the cooling room of the bath house on a cot in the middle of the long compartment, he found his father covered with a sheet. Doctors were immediately called and the police notified.

ADVOCATES FREE TRADE.

Taft Says He Would Like to See Tariff Taken Off Philippine Goods.

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—Referring to Philippine tariff in a speech at the Union League club prior to his departure for the east Governor Taft is reported to have said:

"I know from reading your papers and talking with some of your merchants that you are anxious to have free trade between the Philippines and America. In many respects that would be an admirable arrangement if it were possible to run the government of the Philippines without indirect taxation involved in levying customs duties. It would gratify the commission very much if congress would take off altogether the tariff imposed by the Dingley bill. All we desire is to have money enough to run a good government. My view is that as soon as trade is established and the avenues opened small tariff will form a very slight obstacle to the course of business between the Philippines and California.

Rev. Dolliver Opens Senate.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Rev. J. J. Dolliver of Fort Dodge, Ia., father of Senator Dolliver, pronounced the invocation at the opening of today's session of the senate.

Mr. Lodge gave notice that on and after Monday he would press the Philippine tariff bill.

The senate adjourned to Monday. The house resumed consideration of the urgent deficiency bill.

Bank Robbers Captured.

Hartford, Ky., Jan. 23.—The four burglars who robbed the bank here Wednesday night were captured by Deputy Sheriff Keown and a posse with bloodhounds. All of the stolen money was recovered. The robbers gave the following names, but refused to talk further: H. L. Marshall, Estill county, Kentucky; James Kelly, Nevada; James Mills, Georgia and C. C. Gray of Green County, Kentucky.

Will Not Make It Public.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Admiral Schley refuses to make public his appeal filed with the president. This is in accordance with the desire expressed by the president at the time of Admiral Schley's visit to the white house. The president will turn the whole matter over to Attorney General Knox for his report and recommendations, these to be made as soon as possible.

Protest from Red Cross.

San Francisco, Jan. 23.—The Red Cross society of California has sent a telegram to President Roosevelt stating that "in the opinion of this society the present method of government transportation from this port to Philippines cannot be changed without grave injury to health and comforts of officers and enlisted men of the army.

Mortal Combat on Old Scores at the Court Trial.

THREE MEN KILLED.

Another Is Fatally Wounded and Three Others Receive Slight Wounds. Fight Brought Factions Together at Murder Trial.

Bellville, Tex., Jan. 23.—Three men dead, one fatally shot and three slightly wounded, is the result of a battle that occurred at the Santa Fe depot here at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening:

The dead are: Raymond G. White, Milam Odum of Wallis, Henry Dittert of San Felipe.

Walter Pennington of Wallis is shot through the bowels and will die.

His father, Elihu Pennington, is slightly wounded about the head.

Antone Dittert, a liveryman of Bellville, has a flesh wound through his thigh.

John Hackbarth, prominent merchant of Sealy, had the instep of his foot crushed by a shot.

It was a battle with six-shooters between Elihu Pennington and his son, Walter Pennington, on one side and Odum and his half brother, Raymond White, on the other.

A large crowd was at the depot awaiting the arrival of the southbound passenger train. The fight began in the midst of them without warning, and before the people could escape to places of safety one of their number was shot dead in his tracks and two others wounded by stray bullets.

The tragedy is the outgrowth of a killing which occurred at Wallis two years ago, when Walter Pennington killed James C. Odum. Walter Pennington was to have been tried in the district court here Wednesday for the killing of J. C. Odum, but his case was continued. A large crowd of citizens from Wallis and vicinity were here to attend the trial and the parties to the existing feud were brought together at the depot while waiting for the train.

NEW MEXICO FEUD.

Eight Men Attack Three Brothers and Two Are Mortally Wounded.

Hereford, Tex., Jan. 23.—For several days rumors of trouble in the vicinity of Liberty and Endee, N. M., have been brought in by men passing that way, and Wednesday the rumors were confirmed when a wagon came in from that neighborhood bringing Fred Spikes very badly wounded.

John, Fred and Dick Spikes, brothers, were at work taking down some fencing near the Spikes home. About 2 o'clock they mounted their horses and started home to dinner, and when within a quarter of a mile of home a party of eight or ten men stepped out of hiding and opened fire on them with winchesters at short range. Dan Spikes and his horse fell at the first fire and he was supposed to have been killed outright. Fred and John wheeled and started to retreat, with the firing party following and keeping up a constant fire. After they had gone about 200 yards John fell behind and his fate is unknown. He is supposed to be dead. Fred Spikes has a slight wound in his left side and a very dangerous one in the lower part of the body. The doctors say that the ball which passed through the lower part of the body severed the connection between the kidneys and bladder. They pronounce the case as almost hopeless.

A man from the scene of the disturbance was in after guns and ammunition, and more trouble is expected in the near future. Spikes says he knows the attacking party, but he gave no names.

Smallpox in Texas.

Temple, Tex., Jan. 23.—John Terry, Mrs. Terry and two children are all down with smallpox at their home about two miles south of town.

Marshall, Tex., Jan. 23.—J. Hudson, a visitor to the city, has a case of smallpox.

Ennis, Tex., Jan. 23.—Another case of smallpox has been discovered at Telico, seven miles east of Ennis. The citizens put the patient in quarantine and sent for the health officer.

Choctaws May Emigrate.

Paris, Tex., Jan. 23.—Jacob Jackson, the leader of the fullblood Choctaws, spent a few hours in Paris Wednesday. He stated that whenever the allotment is completed so that the Indians can make title a majority of the fullbloods will dispose of their lands and migrate to Mexico. He thinks it will be several years, however, before final allotment takes place. He doesn't believe that the Indian Territory will be created a state.

Accidentally Killed Himself.

Paris, Tex., Jan. 23.—A telegram received in Paris from Plainview stated that M. V. Wings accidentally killed himself with a pistol. The deceased until recently lived at Wolfe City. He had just bought a ranch in Hale county, which he was improving, and his wife was visiting her parents here while he was having a house built.

Land Office Abolished.

Washington, Jan. 23.—The president has issued an order abolishing the land offices at Enid and Perry, Ok., and consolidating the former district with the Guthrie district and latter with the Kingfisher district. Parts of the Oklahoma land office district are consolidated with the El Reno and Mangum land offices districts.

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Relief for Earthquake Sufferers.

City of Mexico, Jan. 23.—Subscriptions are being taken up here among the American and British residents for the victims of the earthquake at Chilpancingo.

Three women were crushed to death in the Church at San Jose at Chilapa while they were engaged in their devotions. Fortunately a large portion of the population were in the main plaza at the time of the shock watching a tight rope performance.

Advices from Chilpancingo represent that Governor Mora and family are living in a stable where a temporary dwelling has been erected. He offers \$30,000 as a personal contribution for rebuilding the city. Many people have gone insane as a result of the horrors of the catastrophe and from loss of relatives and friends. It is now proposed to build the city on another site.

Corn Blockade at Kansas City.

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